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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Advisory Action dated July 5, 2007, concerning the captioned application. In conjunction with a Request for Continued Examination, filed concurrently, Applicants request entry of this amendment before the next examination on the merits. These papers are timely filed within two months from the filing date of a Notice of Appeal, *i.e.* on September 5, 2007.

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